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PATENT

In re: Glenn A. Rinne et al;

Serial No.: 10/017,350

Filed: December 14, 2001

For: **LOW TEMPERATURE METHODS OF BONDING COMPONENTS AND  
RELATED STRUCTURES**

Group Art Unit: 1725 ✓

Examiner: K.S. Stoner

Date: November 7, 2003

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL in the above-identified patent application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

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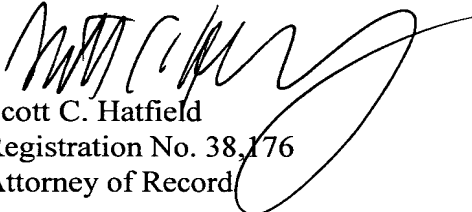
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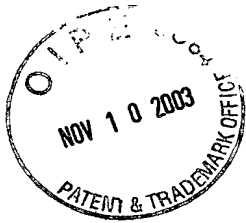
  
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**AMENDMENT RESPONSIVE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION OF SEPTEMBER 25, 2003**

Sir:

The Applicants provide the present Amendment to address the issues raised in the Final Official Action mailed September 25, 2003. The Applicants are filing the present Amendment pursuant to the Revised Amendment Format. Entry of the present amendment and allowance of all claims are respectfully requested as all amendments have been made to place claims in a condition that the Examiner has indicated allowable.